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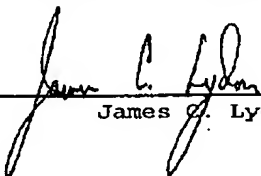
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In re application of:

Christophe HALOPE

Serial Number: 10/556,486

Group Art Unit: 2876

Filed: November 14, 2005

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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING A CONTACTLESS  
TICKET COMPRISING A CHIP

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

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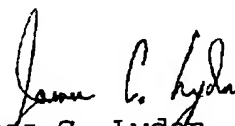
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Respectfully submitted,

  
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## Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

This application is a 371 of PCT/FR04/01299 05/26/2004

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Title

Method for producing a contactless ticket <sup>comprising a chip</sup> ~~and ticket and ticket obtained by means of said method~~

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(INSERT TITLE) Method for producing a contactless ticket comprising a chip

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